

## LEGISLATIVE NOTES.

## John A. Goar Asks for a Committee of Investigation.

## The Fees, Salaries and Expenses of Indiana's State Officials.

## A Bill Punishing the Vote Seller—The Member from Putnam on the School Book System.

Dr. J. H. DePuy, of Wabash, was on the floor of the House yesterday.

A bill was introduced yesterday prohibiting the racing of horses or the firing of revolvers on the public highways.

Representative Mock, of Wells, has introduced a bill which abolishes the office of City Assessor and gives the power of assessing to the Common Council of the cities.

The bill making the bond of the State Treasurer \$1,000,000 and requiring twenty names, the whole representing at least \$2,000,000, was put upon its third reading yesterday and passed unanimously.

Senator Smith, of Jay, introduced a resolution yesterday requesting the Committee on Education to prepare and submit to the Senate a bill abolishing the office of County Superintendent, and providing for a school examiner.

A resolution was introduced by Representative Copeland yesterday requesting the Committee on Education to prepare a bill providing for a uniform system of text books and a State Commission to take charge of the same.

The amendment introduced by Senator Fowler, providing for the completion of but one of the three insane asylums proposed, was voted down by the Senate last night on a call of ayes and noes by 7 to 31. The bill was then ordered to be engrossed.

Representative Creel, of Crawford County, is fast gaining the reputation of being one of the careful and hard-working members of the House. His urbanity and gentlemanly bearing have won him many friends among the members of both Houses.

The consideration of the concurrent resolution to investigate Treasurer Cooper was postponed yesterday until Friday afternoon. The purpose of this is to hear the report of the Senate committee appointed to investigate the alleged necessity for an investigation.

The debate on the Insane Asylum bill took up all the time of the Senate yesterday. Senators Fowler and McGee are leading in the movement to continue the erection of the three buildings. Senator Fowler is doing most of the fighting against the continuance.

The resolution introduced yesterday morning by Senator Faulkner, of Ripley, authorizing the employment of an additional page was voted down, after some sharp discussion. The ayes and noes were called, 19 being in the affirmative, 26 in the negative.

Representative Staley, of Clinton, introduced a bill yesterday which provides for the punishment of the seller of his vote by a fine of not less than \$20 nor more than \$100, disfranchisement and ineligibility for office for a period not less than five years nor more than ten.

Representative Staley, of Frankfort, offered a resolution yesterday, which was adopted, which authorizes the appointment of a committee to which shall be referred all matters pertaining to women. Representatives Staley, Toner, Jameson, Lindsay and Brownlee were appointed the committee.

The Senate passed a resolution yesterday instructing the Committees on Benevolent Institutions from both the House and the Senate to visit the Insane Asylum immediately, ascertain the extent and damage of the fire, look into the question of a water supply for the building, and report progress this morning.

Parke County produces an extra quality of stalwart Democracy, and in it we number our good friend Colonel E. M. Benson. His many friends are satisfied that he has the necessary qualifications for a first-class member of the Directory of the Southern Prison at Jeffersonville. His name will be accordingly presented to the caucus Thursday night for the position.

John W. Pullen, who was First Lieutenant Company B, Sixty-first Regiment, Second Irish Indiana Volunteer Legion during the late civil war, claims \$750 to be due him from the State for services as a guard at Terre Haute and Indianapolis over Fort Donaldson prisoners, and yesterday Representative Moody introduced a bill appropriating the amount claimed by him.

Senator Weir introduced a joint resolution, which was carried, in the Senate, calling for the appointment of a special committee to take under consideration the title of the ground occupied by the State Normal School. The School Trustees claim to have a title to the same ground, and that the title of the State is defective. Senators Weir and Senator Overstreet were appointed on the committee from the Senate.

Representative McHenry, of Allen, introduced a bill yesterday morning providing for a uniform system of text books in the State, taking away from the County and City School Boards the right of selecting them and placing it in the hands of the State Board of Education. Representative Gordon, of Putnam, moved to reject it, the motion being followed by a lively discussion and finally being lost on a call of the ayes and noes by a vote of nine to seventy-nine.

Said Representative Gordon: "I am opposed to placing the selection of our school text-books in the hands of the State Board of Education, not because I doubt the ability or integrity of the board, but the fact is, they are not close enough to the people to know their needs and demands as they should in order to select the proper text-books. I think it would be giving the board a power too great. They are not responsible to any one, and no matter how honorable and honest they may be, all humanity has its weaknesses, and they would be fearfully tempted by those who would profit by the change of the text-books."

The following is the amount of fees and salaries received by the State officers, as given in by them to the Committee on Fees and Salaries:

And of State—Salary, \$1,500; Deputy, \$1,500; Insurance Clerk, \$1,200; Land Department Clerk, \$1,200; General Clerk, \$1,000. The receipts during the last fiscal year were: Insurance fees, \$7,935.44; Land Department fees, \$77. salary, \$1,350; total salary and fees, \$9,312.41. Expenses, \$700; leaving net salary and fees, \$8,612.41.

Secretary of State—Salary, \$2,000; fees from

January 16, 1883, to January 16, 1882, \$2,452. average fees, \$1,226; total salary and fees, \$3,228.

Treasurer of State—Salary, \$5,000; office expenses, \$200. No fees.

Attorney General—Salary, \$2,500; total fees for 1884, \$10,000; to collectors and experts, \$1,100; additional clerk hire, \$500; net income from fees, \$2,596.79; total salary and fees, \$5,096.79.

Bureau of Statistics—Salary, \$1,200. No fees.

Reporter of Supreme Court—Receipts from sales of reports at \$3.50 per volume, \$5,000 per year. No salary.

State Geologist—Salary, \$1,800; average yearly expenses, \$500.

Clerk of the Supreme Court—Total receipts for 1884, \$10,000; clerk hire and expenditures, \$3,765.45; net income for the year, \$4,784.21.

Superintendent of Public Instruction—Salary, \$2,000; two clerks, \$1,500; traveling expenses, \$500; total, \$4,000. No fees.

State Librarian—Salary, \$1,200; assistant, \$700; janitor, \$500; watchman, \$200; total, \$3,000.

The following communication was read to the House yesterday, by Speaker Jewett, and made a special order for 10 o'clock to-day:

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 22, 1885.

Hon. Charles L. Jewett, Speaker of the House:

DEAR SIR—On the 22d inst., I addressed the following communication:

Hon. Samuel Williams, Chairman House Committee on Benevolent Institutions:

DEAR SIR—Referring to the conversation that I had with you, to-day, and your suggestion that I resign my office of trustee of the Soldiers' Orphan Home and Asylum for Feeble-Minded Children, and that if I would do so your committee would adopt a resolution expressing its compliments to myself, I have this to say: I am quite unable to hold the office, or the charges to which you allude are false. If they are not, the great Democratic party of this State can not afford to allow me to resign my trust with a commendatory resolution testifying that I have well and faithfully performed my duties. If I am under various charges before your committee, as you assert, it is your duty to make the most searching inquiry as to the truth. This duty you owe to your constituents, to the whole people of the State, to the soldiers' orphans, and to myself and family.

Knowing that you have received your inspiration from Superintendent White, I deem it proper to inform you that for months past I have demanded his dismissal upon what I deemed more than sufficient reasons—reasons which I can present to your committee whenever they are prepared to go into the matter. I desired to open these questions last fall in connection with the charges against me, and would have forced the issue then had not an intimate and earnest personal friend of Senator Voorhees asked that the matter be taken in the midst of the caucus. But I did demand an investigation in my own case, by the report of the Grand Jury, of which I was a member, and though the post did not act in the matter, I went before that body and presented my denial, and a part of my defense.

Very respectfully,

JOHN M. GOAR.

Since the presentation of this letter I have remained here at considerable expense and great inconvenience to my business, but as yet the Committee on Benevolent Institutions has not acted, and I am not at all disposed to take some definite action upon the letter which I sent to the Chairman of the committee. I can not afford to dance attendance upon the Chairman of the committee simply because he desires me to resign an office rather than make an investigation which he would resist in haste to my reputation. I therefore ask you to present this communication to the House, as I have no other means of officially communicating with that body. For reasons which are given above I ask the appointment of a special committee to investigate all the matters set forth in the communication to Mr. Williams. Very respectfully,

JOHN M. GOAR.

Mr. Williams, however, denies the receipt of any such letter.

The weather.

The variety of the weather is only equalled by the severity. Those people who insist that they never saw such a winter are somewhat justified now for the remark. It is rare in this climate that we have a month of intensely cold weather, but January seems to be going out with a profusion of cold waves scattered in its path. The signal service cold day is liable to be worn out before winter is ended, with the constant hailing in and throwing out required by the service. The dispatches last night ordered it out again, and stated that the thermometer would register 20 degrees lower in the next few hours. At 10 o'clock it registered 5 degrees above zero. The ice men are happy, however, the ice being nearly a foot thick.

The only trains that came in on time last night were the J. M. and I. and the Big Four, others being from twenty minutes to six or seven hours late. The snow and cold weather have evidently had a very bad effect on the Air Line. Conductor Catherwood's train left Chicago Sunday evening and arrived here yesterday afternoon, and the trainmen being compelled to fight their way through the snow and ice, without securing a bite to eat. He went out again last night, but before leaving purchased several loaves of bread and other eatables, fearing in all probability that he would starve to death before reaching Chicago.

Local Courts.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Room No. 1—Hon. N. B. Taylor, Judge.

The United Order of Honor vs. William A. Reading, Suit on endorsement. Judgment on verdict for \$2165.

Albert W. Allemon et al. vs. James A. Simmons et al. Suit on attachment. On trial by jury.

Room No. 2—Hon. D. W. Howe, Judge.

Samuel C. Dawson vs. Jacob A. Enrich. Suit for damages. On trial by jury.

Samuel Wood et al. vs. Alva C. May. Suit on account. Finding and judgment for plaintiff for \$461.50.

Room No. 3—Hon. L. C. Walker, Judge.

Daniel W. Capita vs. Martha P. Blair. Partition. Verdict and answers to interrogatories.

Board of Commissioners of Hendricks County vs. John H. Lewis. On notes. On trial by the Court.

Mary A. Majors vs. William Majors. Divorce granted plaintiff.

CRIMINAL COURT.

Hon. Pierce Norton, Judge.

State vs. Lewis Parsons. Petit larceny. Sentenced to jail for seven days.

State vs. Charles Steibing. Petit larceny. On trial by jury.

Supreme Court Decisions.

The following cases were decided in the Supreme Court yesterday:

10,283. Union School Township of Montgomery County vs. The First National Bank of Crawfordville. Montgomery C. C. Reversed. 11-101.

10,418. Hiram Ellinger vs. John R. East et al. Lawrence C. C. Affirmed. 11-101.

11,635. James Finkle et al. vs. William Shelby. Clinton C. C. Affirmed. 11-101.

11,132. Henry Bare vs. Bartholomew G. Corley. Auditor etc. Jefferson C. C. Motion to rehear denied.

11,702. St. L. and P. Railway Company vs. Ernest Bills. Madison C. C. Reversed; granted.

## IRON HIGHWAYS.

## The Disastrous Effect of Multiplying Trunk Lines.

## The New York Railroad Commissioners' Scheme to Save Brakes—men Who May Slip or Fall on Top of a Train.

West-bound freight business is heavy, owing to the recent reduction in rates.

Edward B. Springer, of this city, has invented a continuous rail for crossings and frogs, which has been examined by a number of prominent railroad men, all of whom express themselves as being of the belief that it will prove a great success.

The various railway magazines have let up on the fast freight lines temporarily, and are bringing out lengthy editorials on the evils of the system of paying rebate. "This is the first time they have given us a rest in many months," said a fast freight line agent, in conversation with a reporter of the Sentinel, yesterday afternoon. "But," he continued, "they can howl all the fast freight lines as much as they please. All of their 's' will do no good. The fast freight lines, or 'railway leeches,' as they are wont to call them, will thrive just the same."

The snow storm which prevailed all day yesterday had a demoralizing effect on the railroads, trains being off on all lines, while several were abandoned. The L. B. and W. has given notice that no perishable freights will be received, and other roads will no doubt do likewise if the storm continues. A railroad man said yesterday that railroad business had not been so seriously affected by inclement weather in years, and if the long expected break-up did not come very shortly the various companies would lose hundreds of dollars by broken rails, etc.

There is no doubt but that the sale of the T. C. and St. L. will take place early in the spring, and the leading question is, into whose hands will it fall? This is a question not easily answered, but it is safe to say that the St. Louis Division will be secured by the I. B. and W. folks. This division comprises some 200 miles, and there is no denying the fact that President Corbin, of the Indiana, Bloomington and Western, has had his eye on it for some time past. Several other parties are after this portion of the bankrupt narrow-gauge, but none of them stand as good a chance as Mr. Corbin. It will require several thousands to convert the road into a standard gauge, but the I. B. and W. people can afford to do this, for it will give them a short line to St. Louis. Persons who at one time referred to the I. B. and W. as a "jerk-water" road, are beginning to realize that it is destined to become one of the most important systems in the country.

The Vanderbilt interest must now have a realizing sense of the disastrous effect of the multiplication of trunk lines," says the Railroad Gazette in speaking of the rumored sale of the South Pennsylvania to the Pennsylvania Company. It bought the Nickel Plate, and then had to take from its old lines nearly all of the business it gets. It would not be pleasant to have to take another slice of business from the New York Central to give it to the South Pennsylvania, yet this probably would have to be done if the South Pennsylvania were to get any through traffic, and probably more from the New York Central than from any other road—even the Pennsylvania—because the only leaders of the South Pennsylvania west of Pittsburgh would be the western Vanderbilt roads. Doubtless a very considerable traffic to and from Pittsburgh and the coke regions might be diverted from the Pennsylvania, but this is not a through traffic. If this and the other local business will support the road, the Pennsylvania can make more out of it than any one else; and if it were to take its time to complete it, it would utilize successive sections as fast as they were completed by connecting them with its branches from the north, which the independent company could not do.

THE NEW YORK RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS.

In commenting upon their report last week, we were able only to allude very briefly to that part of it which recommends that roads be required to put low railings along the edges of freight car roofs, as a means of saving brakemen who may slip or fall. As we have said before, we think that definite legislation of this kind, prescribing such devices, is misleading in the most definite; it would only be ineffectual at all when it was very certain that the best mode of accomplishing the desired result had been determined; and in this matter we feel very sure that the recommendation of the commission is not the best that could have been made.

For it is more than doubtful whether such a railing as the commissioners recommend would practically be of benefit, if it were applied to all cars, when it has been discussed by practical men, there have been perhaps as many opinions adverse to its adoption as in favor of it. There are many who would prefer a railing along one side of the running board of the car—as calculated to prevent the brakemen from falling or sliding instead of catching after the car falls. A very large part of the cars which traverse the State of New York are owned in other States, and are subject to other Legislatures, which may adopt the view that the central railing is the most desirable, or that either railing would be objectionable. This diversity of opinion among Legislatures, when they begin to direct as to details, is illustrated by the legislation in different States as to the appliances to be carried upon passenger trains as a precaution against the imprisonment of passengers by accident. One State specifies a sledge and fire-brackets; another a saw and axes, and so on.

The Art Amateur.

For February contains the usual profusion of designs for art work, including decorations for a dessert-plate (asters), a double tile (wisteria), panels in carved walnut and repoussé brass, and embroidery designs for a blotter, a picture mount and six dollars (signs of the zodiac humorously treated). The notable feature of the number is a striking double-page drawing by George Wharton Edwards, representing two boatmen "putting off" in a stormy sea. Six clever sketches by this rising young artist and three by Jan Chelminski, a Polish horse painter of much talent, are also given. There are articles of special interest on the lighting and decoration of picture galleries, on modeling in clay and wax, on recent Doulton ware, on "Some Possible Exhibitions," and on Bastien Legeus, the famous French painter, recently deceased. The supply of hints and directions for art workers is generally maintained, and "My Note Book" and the dramatic feuilleton are especially entertaining. Price 35 cents. Montague Marks, publisher. 23 Union Square, New York.

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## DIED.

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## SOCIETY NOTICES.

MASONIC.—A. A. A. SCOTTISH RITE—Ad oniam Grand Lodge of Perfection meeting this (Wednesday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock, for work.

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